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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Page 22, paragraph 1 should read:

Fig. 16 shows an exemplary arrangement of a further operational mode of the audio mixer of the invention, which is established when the mode changeover switch is thrown to the position No. 4. This example shows the application of the invention to a conventional audio mixer which is provided with an effector as shown in Fig. 5. In this example, the effect algorithm processor 22 connected in the path of a signal CH2 is configured into a pass-through condition while the addition ratio effected by the addition processor 23 is controlled by operating the in-plane position sensor 37. In addition, a touch on detecting means 26F is provided in the controller 26 for indicating the depression of the operating surface 37a of the in-plane position sensor 37 for indicating the generation of the signal EX and/or EY.